

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Theater Forces Division, OSR

ATTENTION:

THROUGH: Chief, Requirements Branch, Reconnaissance Group, IRS

SUBJECT: Search of Chinese Rail Net for Indications of
MRBM Activity

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REFERENCE: CIA Requirement C-RR7-84,470 - Suppl 1
NPIC Project

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1. This memorandum is in response to your requirement which requests a search along the Chinese rail net on for indications of MRBM site construction, new rail spurs, or major construction activity.

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2. It should be kept in mind that in order to recognize an MRBM launch site, fixed field site, or associated logistical support facility, construction on the installation would have had to progress to the point where it displayed a signature somewhat similar to that of known sites or, if different, some feature that can be definitely associated with missile launch or support.

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3. Those portions of the rail net covered by photography of sufficient interpretability to conduct an adequate search are shown on the attached overlay.

4. For information on this project contact

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Chief, Imagery Exploitation Group,
NPIC

Attachments:
3 overlays

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